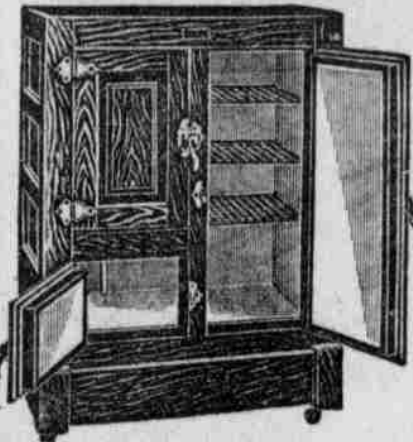


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WHO WEAR A SMALL SIZE SHOE CAN PURCHASE TWO PAIRS FOR THE PRICE OF ONE.

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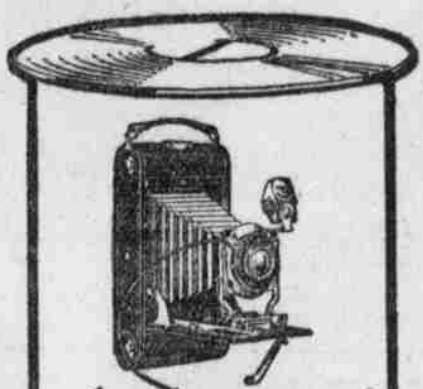
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Sizes 5 to 10½, three colors, per pair...65c

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Goodyear Welts, \$5.00 to \$6.00 value, our low price, per pair...\$3.98
Drop in. No trouble to show you our bargains.

Shea's Shoe Store



Anasco CAMERAS

THE superb Anasco—best for all scenes, at all times, in all weathers. The amateur camera of professional quality. Priced from \$2.00 up. See the various models here. We also have Anasco Speedex Film and Cyko Paper.

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Now Is the Time to Buy Electric Flatirons

See the new Hotpoint. Keep cool on ironing day with an Electric Iron. No hot stove to heat the room.

Barre Electric Company
135 North Main Street, Tel. 98-W Barre, Vt.

TALK OF THE TOWN

Lemon sherbet and brick ice cream at Russell's to-day.

We still have a few bargains in paints, varnishes and wall papers. A. V. Beckley.

Mrs. Cary K. Hunt of Onward street left yesterday for Plainfield, where she is visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Parley Beckley and daughter, Mrs. Roy Williams, were in the city to-day calling on friends and relatives.

Miss Ella G. Owens of Tremont street is taking a two weeks' vacation from her duties as a clerk at the A. P. Abbott store.

Miss Annie Greenley of Springfield, Mass., formerly of Westerville, has been visiting relatives and friends in this city.

A Balzanelli of North Main street left the city last evening for Providence, R. I., where he expects to secure employment.

Frank A. McCarthy of Averill street has gone to Franconia, N. H., to join Mrs. McCarthy, who is passing the summer with her parents.

Miss Edna Murphy of Graniteville is taking a vacation of two weeks from her duties in the office of the Granite Manufacturers' association.

Laurence Kent of Wellington street commenced his duties as a clerk at the F. D. Ladd Co. store yesterday. Mr. Kent was one of the Spaulding graduates in the 1918 graduating class.

Charles J. Collins of South Main street has resumed his duties as special messenger at the Barre postoffice, after a vacation in New Haven, Conn., having made the trip home by automobile.

Don't forget to send in your savings account books for verification before Aug. 1. A large number have already been complied with the law and sent them in, but there are many more to be verified before Aug. 1.

Seaman John Brusa, who has been passing a furlough with his mother on Howard street, returned this morning on an Atlantic liner to rejoin his shipmates aboard the U. S. S. Leviathan, formerly the Vaterland.

Miss Alice Button of Johnson was a visitor with friends in the city over the week end. Miss Button left the city yesterday for Chelsea, where she recently accepted a position as a clerk at the Orange County National bank.

Misses Barbara McDonald and Miss Marie Mortimer, who are taking vacations from the Metropolitan Insurance office and the Shield granite office, respectively, returned last evening from a stay of a week at Lake George.

Guy K. George of Elmore street, who has been employed as a granite cutter for several years, left to-day for Syracuse, N. Y., where he has been assigned to military duty. Mr. George was formerly a private in H company of the 1st Vermont infantry, state National Guard.

Misses Elsie Morgan of Ayers street and Gladys Clark of Hill street returned to the city Saturday evening from a visit of several days with friends and relatives in Boston and vicinity.

Miss Morgan resumed her duties as an operator at the local telephone station yesterday forenoon after a week's vacation.

Misses Hazel and Rena Downing entertained twenty of their young friends at the home of Mrs. Fred Downing, 22 Cliff street, Monday afternoon. The affair took the form of a birthday party and after a number of games had been enjoyed the youthful hostesses served ice cream, wafers and cake.

Miss Margaret H. Robertson, a graduate nurse, who has been spending some time at her home in Barre, has gone to New York, there to remain for a few days before sailing overseas to do Red Cross work with the American expeditionary forces in France. Miss Robertson has received her rating as an army nurse.

Mrs. R. C. George of Elmore street and Mrs. Elsie Caven and daughter, Miss Marion Caven of Mount street, the latter of whom is taking a two weeks' vacation from her duties as cashier at Woolworth's five and ten cent store, have gone to New Haven, Conn., where they expect to make a visit of a few days with friends and relatives.

Dr. and Mrs. G. B. Gage of North Main street returned to the city yesterday from Burlington, where they attended the fifth annual meeting of the Vermont State Chiropractic association, which was held there Sunday. The meeting was the most successful and most pleasing of the yearly events, which have been held since the organization was founded.

Carlo Porlezzi, a River street resident of wide acquaintance, who was arrested circus day and sentenced by Magistrate H. W. Scott to serve 87 days in the city jail, fell from his bed at the jail yesterday and received injuries which necessitated his removal to Heaton hospital. Since he was committed Mr. Porlezzi has been under the care of a male attendant.

Albert Lyon of Highland avenue and James Walker of Mount street returned to the city last evening from White River Junction, where they have been making a visit with Edwin E. Smith, who was formerly engaged as a member of the high school faculty, the trip both ways being made by automobile.

On their return to this city they saw a large barn fire near Orford, N. H. The barn was struck during the thunder storm, burning to the ground and destroying a large number of cattle and other animals.

Many Barre people have reason to rejoice in the success of Prof. James L. McConaughy, whose election to the presidency of Knox college was announced by the governing board of Dartmouth college yesterday. Prof. McConaughy has frequently addressed audiences in this city and has always interested his listeners. Knox college at Galesburg, Ill., is the second oldest college in the state and has an enrollment of between 500 and 600 men and women. Prof. McConaughy accepts his new duties at the age of 31 and is one of the youngest college presidents in the country.

There is now plenty of sock yarn on hand and it may be secured at the sewing rooms in the Church street school building to-morrow (Wednesday) afternoon, or on any Monday, Wednesday or Friday afternoon as long as it lasts. Directions for making socks were printed in The Times of July 23 and all knitters are expected to follow them. The sewing quota is on hand and all who can be urged to assist in completing it. The extreme heat of the past week has made for smaller attendance at the sewing rooms and yesterday only two were present to work on the July quota. This number will have to be much increased or Barre will fall down on the amount of work accomplished this month. It is hoped that more will be present to-morrow.

Painters, Attention! Local 185, painters and decorators, will hold its next regular meeting Tuesday, July 30, at 7:30 p. m. in carpenter's hall. All members are requested to attend. A. M. Stoddard, R. S.

TALK OF THE TOWN

See those summer sweaters at Abbott's.

Miss Olivia McKnight of Foraythe place has returned from a visit in Burlington.

H. W. Shores of Hall street has returned from an outing of a few days at Joe's pond in Danville.

Mario Zanloni, driver of the auto fire truck at the central station, is taking a vacation of two weeks from his duties.

The Cristoforo Colombo band will give the third of its series of open-air concerts in City park to-morrow evening.

Alderman Stephen Rizzi and two daughters of North Main street have returned from an outing at Highgate Springs.

Rev. Bert J. Leligh, pastor of the Baptist church, left this afternoon for Brookville, Can., where he will spend the month of August.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Calzagni and children of Humbert street, Mrs. C. Jiglati and Mrs. A. Bizzozero left yesterday for Highgate Springs to remain in camp for a week.

F. J. Bicknell of Rockland, Me., manager of the Livestone Granite Tool Co., is registered at Hotel Barre while passing several days in the Barre granite belt on business.

Charles W. McMillan of Cable street, who has been seriously ill for several weeks, was able to be down town recently. Mr. McMillan's condition is improving quite steadily.

Mrs. Charlotte Ramella of Berlin street is taking a vacation of two weeks from her duties in the Union dry goods store and will leave to-morrow for Burlington to visit relatives.

All the women of the city are invited to hand in tried recipes which are to be printed under the direction of the Woman's Auxiliary to the food administration. The recipes must be handed to Mrs. Arthur MacNeil before Aug. 6.

Why don't you plan to board this winter? You know the conditions of coal and food and vacation. A few rooms at special rates. Better make your plans now. Hotel Barre, J. V. Rowen, manager.

The street department, acting under instructions from the aldermanic health committee, yesterday started the July garbage collection. So far as possible the team drivers are adhering to the printed schedule of streets and householders are asked not to place their rubbish barrels and other containers at the curb until the morning of the day when the teams are due to arrive on their street.

Guests arriving at Hotel Barre last night and this morning included the following people: Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Bliss and children of Burlington, John F. Donovan, Rev. John T. Lynch, James F. O'Donnell of Meriden, Conn., A. K. Scule of Evanston, Ill., W. H. Schermerhorn of Omaha, Neb., M. Walker Jones of Boston, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Langefeld of Bloomfield, N. J., L. C. Leavens of Bristol, F. J. Bicknell of Rockland, Me., Fred Dudley, W. C. Bryant and Nick Niebaum of Randolph, W. B. Perkins of Burlington, F. D. Barlow of Newton, Mass., F. L. Abbott of Bellows Falls, Barney Mead of Brattleboro and H. J. Preston of Buffalo, N. Y.

An early morning storm to-day brought relief to heat sufferers, but left in its wake no inconsiderable amount of damage. The storm broke around 4:30 o'clock and was accompanied by a heavy wind, which lashed telephone and lighting wires and snapped many a branch from the shade trees. Granite workers who left the sheds yesterday afternoon because of the extreme heat, had another lay-off coming this morning, for a number of power lines were put out of commission by the wind and lightning. Those who reported for duty at 7 o'clock were told to return later in the forenoon. Several plants in Burnham's meadow and in the stonished district farther to the north suspended operation at 8 o'clock. Officials of the light and power company said that the service would be completely restored by noon. The storm did comparatively little damage to the telephone lines.

Band Concert Wednesday Evening.

The Cristoforo Colombo band will give another of its popular open-air concerts in City park Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock. The musicians will be led by Prof. Peter Groppelli. The program:

"Victory to the Allies" Arr. by P. Groppelli

"Kiss of Spring" W. R. Morris

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Cool Weather Necessities

Why not buy a cool, comfortable, Voile Middie now for these extremely hot days? They are just the proper thing to help you keep cool and comfortable.

We have just received a large invoice of these most popular, warm weather Middies. These are not only cool, but are the popular holiday and sport Middies.

The White Smock is made of plain white Voile, has plain-colored collar, cuffs and belt, is smoked in front. These are surely a very popular, cool garment.

The Slip-On Middie is very popular with the girls and young ladies. These are in good quality Voiles, in White, collars, cuffs and belts of plain colors. See these in our north show window.

We cannot help but speak of our line of Thin Jap Silk Waists. These are a Waist that everyone likes. They are cool and have the real wearing qualities. We buy them by the 30-dozen lots, and they melt away like ice on these warm days. Every lady should have one in each of the different colors. They are fine in Black also. The price is only \$2.00 each.

Ladies' White Skirts

We have a few of those under-priced White Wash Skirts left. This will be just what you will want to go with those thin middies. Here are some Skirt values that you can save money on. These are Skirts where we have only a few of a style. We cannot duplicate them. We are now closing them out at about one-third off from the regular price. Many of them are at less than the cloth alone would cost to-day.

At one-half price are a few odd soiled Skirts in the good quality materials.

A Lot of Odd Dresses

These are a lot of odd Dresses of our season's best values, together with a few we were able to pick up at a special price.

These Dresses are all on one rack at very tempting prices.

At \$4.98 is a lot of Dresses in a variety of the season's best styles. Are Dresses that are finished with fine French embroidery. Are Dresses that sold at from \$5.50 to \$7.50 each and are the season's best values at those prices. Now to clean up at \$4.98.

In this lot of Dresses are a few Fine Plaid Voiles, made in the season's best styles, to sell at \$6.50. Now only \$4.98.

At \$4.98 there are a few odd Dresses in the heavier materials, such as a Cotton Striped Serge Coat Dress. Was \$7.50.

In this clean-up lot of Dresses are some odd Striped and Figured Voiles in the season's best qualities, made in a variety of good styles. Are Dresse that sold at from \$8.75 to \$10.00. Now to close at \$7.50 each.

At \$4.98 are a half-dozen Fine White Lace Net Dresses, some plain tucked skirts, others embroidered, all White. Are Dresses that sold at from \$10.00 to \$15.00, to close at \$4.98. The lace is worth much more than that alone.



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The Daylight Store

Barre Postoffice Examination.

The U. S. civil service commission will hold a competitive examination at Barre, Vermont, on August 10, 1918, for the positions of clerk and carrier in the post-office at Barre, Vermont.

Applicants must have reached their 18th birthday, but not their 45th birthday, on the date of examination, and must be citizens of the United States. Male applicants must measure not less than 5 feet 4 inches in height in bare feet. No male applicant who passes the examination will be eligible for appointment either as clerk or carrier who does not weigh at least 125 pounds without overcoat or hat. It will be inadvisable for male applicants whose normal weight is less than 125 pounds to enter the examination. Female applicants are not required to be of any specific weight or height.

Each applicant will be required to submit to the examiner on the day of examination a photograph of himself taken within two years.

The entrance salary is \$1,000 per annum with promotion of \$100 every year until a maximum of \$1,500 is reached. For pamphlet of information and the required application blank, address the local secretary at the Barre, Vt., post-office, or district secretary at Boston, Mass., with whom applications must be

filed in time for him to arrange for the examination.

CHURCH ATTACKED NIGHTLY.

St. Paul's German Lutheran at Torrington, Conn., Attacked.

Torrington, Conn., July 30.—Trustees of St. Paul's German Lutheran church have petitioned the borough board for protection against alleged hostile acts committed against the church by unknown persons.

It is claimed that eggs are almost nightly thrown against the front of the building, and that the structure has been broken into several times. The police will be instructed to put a stop to the acts.

Deceitful Biddies.

Fogg is rather disgusted with poultry farming. He says that when he left home yesterday morning 40 of his hens were bragging about what they were going to do; but on his return he found that only eight had laid—the rest of the bunch had simply lied.—Boston Transcript.

They're on to It Already.

Yankee—Say, boys, I brought in a couple of Huns last night on the end of my bayonet.

Skeptical Tommy—Yer quite certain there was two of 'em?

Yankee—Betcher life, bo! I heard one of 'em say, "Move up a bit, Fritz, I'm slipping off."—Passing Show.

GOOD VALUES

Armour's, Libbey's or Van Camp's Evaporated Milk.....2 cans for 25c
Better have a few cans in the house, in case the milk sours this hot weather.

Better buy your Canning Jars early.
Large Top Double Safety Jars and Rubbers, per dozen, 1/2-pints, 80c; pints, 90c; quarts, \$1.00; 2-quarts, \$1.20.

Economy Jar Tops, per dozen 30c
Fitz-Em-All Rubbers.....3 dozen for 25c

A full line of PICNIC DAINTIES.

BARGAIN DEPARTMENT, Cash and Carry

Export Borax Soap, per cake .5c, 22 cakes for \$1.00
Large package Grandma Borax Powdered Soap 17c
Small package Grandma Borax Powdered Soap 5c
Spices, per package 10c
Karo, Maple flavor 17c
Large can of Pumpkin for 15c

SPECIAL FOR WEDNESDAY

Whale Steak, per lb. 20c
Sword Fish, per lb. 30c

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GOOD THINGS TO EAT

NEW POTATOES, cash and carry, per peck 55c
Bunch Beets, Carrots, Turnips, per bunch 5c
Fresh Native Wax Beans, per quart 8c
Native Green Peas, per peck 60c

FRESH FISH BY EXPRESS TO-DAY

Haddock, Cod, Cusk, Halibut, Eastern Salmon.
Finnan Haddie, per lb. 18c

Try Hot Ko, the new drink, per bottle 35c
Raspberry Shrub, special, per bottle 19c
Ambrosia Punch, per bottle 19c
Moxie, per bottle 25c
Rebate of 5c for the bottle.

Evans' Ale and Clicquot Club Ginger Ale by the case.

LEMONS, large fancy ones, per dozen 48c
Fresh Raspberries and Blueberries every day.

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